

WILL INVESTIGATE

National Association will Look Into Turf Scandal.

WOULD PUNISH SMATHERS

President Johnson of National Trotting Association Declares That Smathers' Affair Should Be Investigated and Guilty Parties Punished.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Characterizing the Memphis gold cup case as the most deplorable turf scandal he had ever known and calculated to work untold injury to harness racing interests, David Bonner yesterday declared made P. F. Johnson president of the National Trotting Association, that he deemed it the duty of that organization to investigate the charges made against E. E. Smathers and either mete out swift punishment to the conspirators or brand the accusations as false if found to be untrue.

Speaking with all the vehemence at his command, the former vice president of the National Trotting Association, added:

"As the guardian of harness racing, the National Trotting Association owes it to the sport to take cognizance of the case without waiting for a trial in the civil courts a year or two hence which will punish nobody and perhaps decide nothing except the legal title to the cup. In my opinion Mr. President, the importance of the case demands a special meeting of the board of review and I hope you will call one as soon as the parties to the case are ready to be heard.

"So far as I can judge of the case from reading the newspapers, I do not see anything in it which requires the decision of either the courts or the board of reviews," replied Major Johnston. "The only evidence that has been disclosed thus far is from two men who are by their own confession discredited."

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"Under the rule of the National Association," continued Major Johnson, "every member and everyone who makes an entry in a race agrees to submit all disputes arising out of races to the judgment of this association and I am rather surprised that the Memphis men have taken the case to the courts."

WHEN COURT OPENS

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Columbia River Packer's Association

vs.

Hans Peterson et al

vs.

Mary A. Kinsey

vs.

C. J. Curtis

vs.

Fisher Bros.

vs.

Mike Erickson

vs.

Lottie V. Wolf

vs.

Chas. Jacob Wolf

vs.

A. V. Allen

vs.

H. Chresenes

vs.

Ross, Higgins & Co., (a corporation)

vs.

H. Chresenes

vs.

Allen & Lewis

vs.

V. H. Coffey

vs.

J. F. D'Arcy, Jr., B. A. Labbe

vs.

H. B. Nicholas

vs.

Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company

vs.

Elinor Ely Johnston

vs.

John M. Johnston

vs.

A. A. Cook

vs.

Caspar Drilling & Marie Drilling

vs.

W. B. Hayden

vs.

J. P. Sothan

vs.

C. C. Clarke

vs.

William F. O'Connor

vs.

John Sirey and Mrs. John Sirey

vs.

Fisher Bros., Co., (a corporation)

vs.

John G. Larson

vs.

John Stephenson

vs.

Thomas Linville, Sheriff of Clatsop County, Oregon.

vs.

C. F. Wise

vs.

Thomas Linville, Sheriff of Clatsop County

vs.

F. Dresser & Co.

vs.

E. N. Zeller, A. B. Zeller, Mrs. E. N. Zeller,

vs.

Nathaniel D. Bain

vs.

C. C. Clarke

vs.

Margaret Johnson & A. B. Seaborg

vs.

John Haggblom, August Haggblom, Chas. Larson and John Mattson

vs.

McGuire & Stieckler

vs.

James P. Bain, James W. Welch & Thomas Bush

vs.

Seneca F. Font

vs.

Evaanna Font

vs.

Harry L. Richardson

vs.

Anna Richardson

vs.

Charles Robitzsch

vs.

The Nehalem Coal Company

vs.

Frederick W. Robitzsch & Elizabeth Robitzsch, his wife

vs.

The Nehalem Coal Company

vs.

Columbia River Packer's Association, (a corporation)

vs.

Stables Bell

vs.

Tall & Gibbs, (a corporation)

vs.

E. N. Zeller, A. B. Zeller and Mrs. E. N. Zeller

vs.

George Macnealey

vs.

Sawyer Spruce Lumber Company, (a corporation)

vs.

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